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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-2.

Part B. for ~~January 1910~~ August 1910.

SUBJECT.

Annual cultivation of Ganja.

1. To the Excise Com^r. No. H. 4184 d. 21-2-10 Calls for a report on the cultivation of Ganja in the Gollahalli village.
2. From the Excise Com^r No. 7704 d. 18-3-10 Reports that only about 4 maunds of Ganja were harvested in Gollahalli owing to various inconveniences and unsuitability of the land that cultivation has to be done by issuing licenses in the Goribidanur Tq. to ryots and recommends that the Services of Peerasen may be ordered to be retained for another year.

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FILE HEADING.

Annual celebration of Ganeja

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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In G.O. No 7L 6531-2-8R 203-07-2, dt 7th April 09. Govt. Sanctioned an advance of Rs 3500/- as also the entertainment of Ganesa establishment Contg Rs 78/-

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Ker. menon for the purpose of growing Ganja on the 50 acres of land placed at the disposal of the Excise Dept. in Kayamgutta Gollakalli village (Sue boughtowen by Govt.) near Velahanka.

It is not known how the amount of advance was spent & the establishment employed. What quantity & of what quality of Ganja was manufactured and how far the attempt proved successful.

A draft is put up for a full Calling for a detailed report in the matter

Sd/ 21/1/10

21-1-10

Has the Crop been gathered?

Sd 24/1/10.

Season is over and crop must have been gathered.

Sd/ 24.1.10

Please wait for two weeks more & then send up

25/1/10. Sd

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	Resubmitted. It seems the draft was issued as the Excise Comr has not objected his report
	Issue
	19/4/10
1.	To the Excise Comr No H 4184 of 21/2/10 Calls for a report on the cultivation of ganja in the Gollahalli village
2	From the Excise Comr No 7048 of 18/3/10 Reports that only about 4 maunds of ganja were harvested in Gollahalli owing to various inconveniences and unavoidable delays, that cultivation has to be done by issuing licenses in the Gopichetti which he regrets and recommends that the services of the Overseer may be ordered to be retained for another year
	From the reference files noted it will be clear that the Excise Comr reported that the cultivation

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Of your letter regarding was a thorough failure and recommended the Khas cultivation & Govt. Sanctioned it. The result of the latter seems in ~~not~~ no way better than that in the former.

The site in Gollahalli was specially selected upon proper inspection by Mr Sanders & Mr Narasimha. Mr Narasimha's report now ruled to Govt. with the letter under discussion shows that he paid no attention to the points referred to therein ie. such as suitability of the soil convenience for water & manure situation ~~location~~ of the land &c. when he selected the plot in the first instance. The total expenditure incurred in this connection is not reported. ~~Though~~ From the details of expenditure furnished by Mr Narasimha the expenditure may be roughly taken to be about 3000 Rupees Against this a crop of about 4 maunds worth about Rs 60/-

The site selected & the plot cultivated do not seem to have been carefully done

Selection of J.A. Saunders the Superintendent of Farms

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at the highest rate has been realised. This plot of land would have found a ready sale because of the wells & the farm houses, and the ryots would have always brought it under cultivation & paid revenue to Govt. The Sugarcane assessment is also lost to Govt. The Excise Comr is of opinion that the value of the soil is now increased even to the extent of Rs 3000/. is lost over it. In spite of the assurance of so many years the cultivation of Ganja seems to be still in the experimental stage in Mysore.

This Khas cultivation having proved a failure two parties would be moved to the old system of licensing ryots & inducing them to cultivate Ganja. For this assessment also he has selected the Gopibedmur Taluk. Khas cultivation is also at the same time tried on a small scale in Doddaragod Dale plantation

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	To supervise these cultivations the Excise Comr recommends the retention of the services of the overseer on a pay of Rs 50 p.m. He may ultimately claim horse or travelling allowances & may require the services of a peon. The monthly expenditure may come up to about Rs 75 or 78 p.m. and there does not seem to be sufficient reason to increase the extra expenditure Considering the want of experience there are some Asst to Inspectors and Inspectors who are acquainted with the details of growing Ganja and such of them may be posted to the Range & Sub Divs where Ganja is to be cultivated Submitted for orders
	26/4/10
	(1) The paper may be recorded.
	(2) The fact seems to be that Ganja can not thrive in Mysore Soil and Climate. The Experiments Carried on so far are a Complete failure.
	See 7 22/4/10.

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The result is very disappointing.
It is not clear whether a trial may not be made at Marikavave where water will be always available.
Suggestion
A D.O. may be issued to this effect
experiment as to the proper methods or adapted to myne may perhaps be tried at the Hebbal Farm or the Lalbagh.
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A large sum of money has been wasted in conducting the experiment without a due regard to the conditions essential to success. Mr Sparkes seems to have been led away by Mr Rozario's hasty & ill considered proposals. Only 4 maunds of guniya to show for Rs 3000. This is really too bad —

GAB
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CB

Photographs obtained
Shown through 1882

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30/4/10

SA
30/4/10

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Filed.

A draft-bill and a draft-order were filed for approval.

In the draft-order it is stated that there is no necessity for the frontier reservation of the Cocoa Inspector as it is proposed to bring the whole matter in Nanikanave Kebkeal Jaunsar & Lalbagh and as one man cannot be expected to supervise the cultivation in so many places. There are several Inspectors and Asst Inspectors who are conversant with the cultivation of Cocoa and such of them may be posted to the Places & such Places where Cultivation is carried on. With this short space of 8 or 10 months. There were it is learnt 2 or 3 Chiefs Inspectors placed in charge of Cocoa cultivation. From this it may be clear that no Specialist was appointed for the post of Cocoa Inspector.

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1st C/ may be approved
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Note dated 8th May from Parker No 1012 of 7th May — Noted thereon dated 8th May on file No 5 of 1910 dated 8th May 10

To Chief Officer

Noted

The Continuance of the establishment is sanctioned in the file noted above. The proposals referred to in paras 2 to 4 of the D.O. are not liked by Government at present for some time until the Forest Committee knows the results of the present experiment and also fill be examines the localities referred to in the D.O. Besides there is a Secret Communication (D.O.) from the Resident at Travancore intimating the intention of the Govt of India to the Durbar to forbid Cyper from the Central Provinces and the Madras Presidency free of duty and requiring whether a similar prohibition may be required annually. This is under Correspondence

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	This file may therefore be closed here

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OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

No: 7702/2

Bangalore, dated...18th March.....1910.

From

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H. H. Sparkes, Esquire,
Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundram Iyer, Esq.,
Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

Adverting to your letter No. Fl.4184/S.R.153-09-1, dated the 21st February 1910, calling for a detailed report on the expenditure incurred, the quantity and quantity of Ganja grown etc., in the Kayam-gutta Gollahalli village near Yelahanka, I have the honor to submit herewith in original to be obligingly returned the marginally noted reports received from the District Excise Officer, Bangalore District, and to state that the report is full and clear and gives all the details.

1. Report No: A dated 22-2-10.
2. Report No: B&S dated 16-3-10.

2. Up to date a sum of Rs.1460-6-0 has been paid on account of the amani cultivation at Gollahalli and as the full amount has not been finally adjusted a further report will be submitted regarding the expenditure. In respect of the Dodda Kurugod Ganja Hemp cultivation the amount advanced up to date is Rs.200/- and it is expected that no further appreciable expenditure will be incurred. The out-turn has to be seen when the crop is harvested.

3. It is evident that the soil of Gollahalli village is not quite congenial to the growth of Ganja hemp besides there is much difficult for procuring manure. I have, therefore, determined to hand over the village to the Revenue Department. No doubt the value of the land has increased on account of the improvements made and the manure and fertilizers used.

4. As observed by Mr. Rozario the soil in the Goribidnur Taluk appears

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H. H. Sparkes Esquire,
Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C.S. Balasundara Iyer Esq. B.A.
Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Depts.

Dated 18th march 1910

Despatched

Received

General No. 770 d.

Enclosure No. 2

SUBJECT.

Submitting certain reports received from the Dt Excise Officer Bangalore District, on the Gollahalli Ganja plantation near Yelehanka.

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appears to be more congenial to the growth of Ganja hemp and there appears to be better facilities for water and manure. I have, therefore, requested the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to issue licenses to ryots for the cultivation of Ganja Hemp, the area being limited to 70 acres of not less than 5 acres in a plot within a radius of 6 miles of Goribidnur. This cultivation shall be under the supervision of the Ganja Overseer. I shall see that at Goribidnur or elsewhere a sufficient number of licenses are issued covering an ~~increase~~ acreage which would produce Ganja adequate for the supply of one year at least.

5. The four watchmen have already been dispensed with and it is necessary to retain the services of an Overseer for one year more.

6. I further propose to cultivate a small area of about 10 acres of Ganja at Dodkurugud in the present date plantation to enable the ryots to see what is actually required of them and to act as a standard in judging the ganja produced by the ryots for payment.

The small amount required for this has been allowed for in the budget for next year.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H H Sparke

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

D. O. No. 1012

Mysore
~~11th June 191~~
7th July 1910

My dear Sir,

Please refer to correspondence ending with your ~~letter~~ to the Secretary to Govt. No 7704 dt 18th March 1910, submitting a report on the Amani cultivation of Ganja in Mysore. The report is very disappointing and it is evident that a large sum of money has been spent without an adequate return, which ~~shows that~~ the

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you what chances
there are of any
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-nuing the experi-
-ments -

3. I ~~am~~ would also
to suggest for your
consideration whether
a trial may not
be made at Mari-
-Kanaver where
water will always
be available - At
the same time,

S C H E D U L E .

List of Government securities lodged by the aforesaid Manufac-

-turers for the performance of the above contract : -

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Government of Mysore Four per cent

loan paper of 1906-07.

1.	One paper	No.647/95/46.	Rs. 5000/-.
2.	One paper	No.648/95/47.	5000/-.
3.	One paper	No.649/95/48.	5000/-.
4.	One paper	No.650/95/49.	5000/-.
5.	One paper	No.651/95/50.	5000/-.

Government of India Three and

half per cent Promissory Notes

of 1865.

1.	One paper	No.141775.	Rs. 5000/-.
2.	One paper	No.141776/125796.	5000/-.
3.	One paper	No.M.O.12952/M.O.12423.	10000/-.
4.	One paper	No.M.O.12951/M.O.12423.	5000/-.
		Total	Rs.50000/-.

(sd) A. Narainsawmy Mudaliar and Co.

(sd) M. Bajjanna.

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4. I am under
the impression
that you had
these alternatives
in your mind —
I shall be glad to have
your views in the matter

Yours Sincerely

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H H Sparkes Esq
Excise Commr